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What is disclosed are growth hormone secretagogues, and their uses, of formula (I) wherein R1 is $C_6H_5CH_2OCH_2$ –, $C_6H_5(CH_2)_3$ – or indol–3–ylmethyl; Y is pyrrolidin–1–yl, 4–C₁–C₆ alkylpiperidin–1–yl or NR2R2; R2 are each independently a C₁ to C₆ alkyl; R3 is 2–napthyl or phenyl para–substituted by W; W is H, F, CF3, C₁–C₆ alkoxy or phenyl; and R4 is H or CH3, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof.

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